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INTRODUCTION

The Ontario Environmental Assessment Advisory Committee provides advice to the Minister of the Environment on matters relating to the application of the Environmental Assessment Act to public and private sector projects and activities in Ontario. The Committee, consisting of three members selected from outside the government, was established in 1983 to increase public input into the Minister's decisions on what projects should be subject to the requirements of the Environmental Assessment Act.

This Act requires the proponent of a proposed undertaking to follow a planning process which addresses potential environmental concerns. The proponent must prepare a document called an environmental assessment which describes the purpose of and rationale for the undertaking, potential environmental effects of the undertaking and alternatives to it, and ways of mitigating adverse environmental impacts. Under the Act, there is a formal review of this document by both government and the public, and the public may request a hearing on the matter before the Environmental Assessment Board.

The Environmental Assessment Act requires that environmental assessments be prepared for all public sector undertakings, which include activities, plans and programs of the Ontario Government, municipalities, and other public bodies such as Ontario Hydro and conservation authorities. A public sector proponent may, however, make a request to the Minister of the Environment to exempt a public undertaking from the requirements of the Act.

Private sector undertakings are subject to the requirements of the Act only when specifically designated. Individuals or groups may request the designation of a private sector undertaking. The Minister's decision to exempt or designate an undertaking is subject to the approval of Cabinet.

Some undertakings are subject to what is called a class environmental assessment which sets out a special planning process for a class of undertakings which have common characteristics, occur frequently, and generally have predictable and relatively minor impacts. Class environmental assessments generally have a provision which gives the public the right to request that an undertaking be "bumped-up" to a full, individual environmental assessment. If such a request is made, the Minister must decide whether to grant the request.

Upon receipt of a request for exemption, designation, or bump-up, the Minister may seek the advice of the Committee by referring the matter to the Committee. The Minister may also seek the Committee's advice on other matters relating to environmental assessment in Ontario. When the Committee receives a referral, it carries out a review of the request and reports to the Minister with its recommendation.

During 1988-89, the Committee received referrals and reported to the Minister on one exemption request, one designation request, and two bump-up requests.

During 1989-90, the Committee received referrals on six designation requests and three bump-up requests. In three of these referrals, the Minister specifically asked the Committee to review the adequacy of the existing planning and approvals process to address environmental concerns.

In addition, in 1989-90, the Minister asked for the Committee's advice on the following:

- Phase 1 of the Environmental Assessment Program Improvement Project,

- Class EAs for Municipal Sewage and Water Projects and Municipal Road Projects, and

- Re-approval of the Class EA for Water Management Structures by Conservation Authorities.

A brief description of each of these sixteen referrals is provided in this report.

When referring a matter to the Committee, the Minister indicates which of the following types of review is to be undertaken.

Open Review The Committee gives public notice to and requests submissions from a wide range of interested groups, individuals and government agencies. The Committee's advice is normally required within six weeks.

Defined Review Public notice and consultation are limited to affected groups and individuals selected by the Minister and by the Committee. The Committee's advice is normally required within six weeks.

Internal Review There is no public notice or consultation. The normal time for this type of review is two weeks.

In Open and Defined Reviews, the Committee generally holds a public meeting in the evening near the location of the proposed undertaking. The Committee's public meetings allow for the proponent, government agencies, and public to make oral submissions to the Committee in a non-judicial setting. The Committee also invites written submissions.

In its reports to the Minister, the Committee considers reasons for or against environmental assessment provided by the proponent, government agencies, and the public. The Committee generally reviews the following issues:

- the potential environmental impacts of the undertaking,
- whether there are reasonable alternatives to the undertaking,
- the adequacy of other statutory approvals as a means of addressing environmental concerns,
- other opportunities for public input, and
- the urgency of proceeding with the undertaking.

The Committee does not take a position on whether or not the undertaking should be approved; instead, it recommends whether or not the use of the Environmental Assessment Act is appropriate. The Committee's report is made public at the time the Minister makes a decision.

The Committee maintains a list of referrals and a public file for each referral. Copies of each of the Committee's reports to the Minister are available to the public on request following the Minister's decision.

The Committee also monitors and maintains a list of all exemption, designation and bump-up requests and the Minister's decisions on them. This list is also available to the public on request.

MEMBERSHIP AND OPERATION OF THE COMMITTEE

The Advisory Committee consists of three part-time members, including a chairman, who are appointed by the Minister of the Environment through an Order in Council.

Dr. Philip Byer has served as a member of the Committee since October 1985 and was appointed chairman of the Committee in November 1986. Dr. Byer is an Associate Professor in the Department of Civil Engineering and the Institute for Environmental Studies at the University of Toronto. He is a professional engineer with expertise in waste management and in project evaluation in the environmental and transportation fields.

Dr. Robert Gibson has been a member of the Committee since October 1985. He is an Associate Professor in the Department of Environment and Resource Studies at the University of Waterloo. His work has centred on environmental ideology, policy and regulatory issues. Dr. Gibson co-directed an intensive study, published in 1986, of the environmental assessment process in Ontario.

Ms. Christine Lucyk, was appointed as a member in November 1986. She works for the Coopers and Lybrand Consulting Group where she specializes in economic analysis relating to resource management and development. Ms. Lucyk has broad experience dealing with urban and regional planning.

The Committee operates with the assistance of a co-ordinator, part-time researchers, and secretary. The Committee's co-ordinator is Ms. Pam Wheaton, a planner with a background in environmental issues. The secretary to the Committee is Ms. Trish Shayne.

The operating cost of the Committee during the 1988-89 reporting year was $117,240, and during 1989-90 was $139,500. The chairman and members received per diem rates of $225 and $150 respectively. In February 1990, these rates were increased to $270 and $180.

DECISIONS ON PAST REFERRALS

In the Committee's previous annual reports, covering activities through March 31, 1988, decisions were reported on all referrals except for two related referrals - Referrals #24 and #29 which reviewed a proposed Ministry policy on Environmental Assessment Act exemptions for interim expansions of municipal waste landfills. The Committee had recommended approval of the Ministry's proposed policy with some changes in wording and minor modifications, as well as additions regarding land acquisition and zoning, ministry response, and expiry and review of the policy. In November 1989, the Minister approved a "Policy on Environmental Assessment Act Exemptions for Interim Expansion of Municipal Landfills" incorporating many of the recommendations of the Committee.

REFERRALS DURING 1988-89

The following are brief descriptions of the four reviews by the Committee during the period from April 1, 1988 to March 31, 1989.

Referral #31 - Application of the Environmental Assessment Act to all Activities of the Ministry of Government Services

On July 20, 1988, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct an Open Review on a proposal by the Ministry of Government Services (MGS) on the application of the Environmental Assessment Act to its activities, including its land management activities. The Committee held public meetings on this matter in Toronto on September 14 and 23.

Although all activities of MGS are subject to the requirements of the Environmental Assessment Act, MGS had received 82 individual and program exemptions for its activities and projects since the Act was proclaimed in 1976, and had never carried out an environmental assessment under the Act.

The purpose of the MGS proposal was to establish a comprehensive approach to the application of the Environmental Assessment Act to its activities. The proposal divided MGS activities into four categories according to the type of activity and how the Environmental Assessment Act would apply.

The Committee submitted its report to the Minister on December 5, 1988 with ten recommendations, including the following:

- MGS should develop one or more class EAs for its activities;

- a proposed exemption for its land management activities should not be granted;

- existing program exemptions (exemptions for defined catagories of activities) should be amended so that undertakings involving environmentally significant lands are not exempt, and should be revoked by December 31, 1990; and

- an exemption should be granted for land acquisition and optioning for non-government uses and for constructing government office buildings in urban areas.

In light of the Committee's recommendations to the Minister, the Ministry of Government Services commited itself to developing a class environmental assessment for its activities, and requested a program exemption for the period during which they are developing this class EA. On December 21, 1989, the Minister approved an interim program exemption (MGS-102), which expires no later than January 3, 1992. One of the conditions of the exemption is that MGS must develop a class EA and submit it by July 3, 1991.

Referral #32 - Widening of McLaughlin Road in the City of Mississauga - Requests for Bump-up

On September 29, 1988, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct a Defined Review on requests to bump-up to an individual environmental assessment the City of Mississauga's proposed widening of McLaughlin Road. The proposal was to widen the 2.2 kilometre section of McLaughlin Road between Bristol Road and Britannia Road from 2 lanes to 5 lanes.

The Committee held a public meeting in Mississauga on the evening of October 6. The main concerns raised by those requesting the bump-up centred on the cutting of trees for the proposed right of way, particularly on a section of the Peel Board of Education's Britannia Farm, a designated Environmental Protection Area.

At the public meeting, the City of Mississauga withdrew its original proposal and presented a new scaled-down widening which generally appeared to meet the concerns of the public, and which did not require further approval under the Environmental Assessment Act. The revised project has since been completed.

The Committee's report, submitted on October 17, 1988, presented recommendations related to the following issues raised during the referral:

- the boundaries between Schedules A and C of the Class EA for Municipal Road Projects should be clarified and incorporated in future revisions to the Class EA;

- any future widening of McLaughlin Road should be subject to the 5 phase Class EA process; and

- appropriate changes should be made to the Class EA for Municipal Road Projects or to Regulation 205 to address concerns about municipalities by-passing the EA process by having the private sector undertake projects which ultimately will be a municipal responsibility.

Referral #33 - Redevelopment of the Motel Strip Lands in the City of Etobicoke - Requests for Designation

On September 29, 1988, the Minister requested the Committee to conduct an Open Review on whether or not the proposed redevelopment of the "Motel Strip" lands in the City of Etobicoke should be subject to the Environmental Assessment Act. The Minister had received a request on August 24 from Ruth Grier, M.P.P. for the area, that an Official Plan Amendment for this redevelopment be designated under the Act.

The proposed project would consist of the redevelopment, by private developers, of 20.2 hectares of private lands and Lake Ontario shoreline for high density residential, commercial and park land uses. The waterfront portion of the project would combine public and private sector lands and activities, and involve lakefilling, dredging, and the construction of facilities such as marinas and shoreline roads. An Etobicoke City Council Official Plan Amendment to permit the redevelopment had been referred to the Ontario Municipal Board for a hearing.

The Committee held a public meeting, attended by about 175 people, on the evening of November 2 near the Motel Strip. Those supporting the request for an environmental assessment focused on the environmental impacts of the lakefilling and dredging activities, and the inadequacy of the Planning Act to address broad and cumulative environmental impacts and alternatives to the undertaking. Provincial, federal, and international recognition of serious contamination of this section of the Lake Ontario waterfront was noted as a rationale for a comprehensive, integrated environmental assessment. Those opposing an environmental assessment submitted that an official plan amendment is a conceptual policy statement and therefore not an undertaking as defined under the Environmental Assessment Act. They also stated that the Planning Act legislation was more appropriate than the Environmental Assessment Act to address land use questions, and provides for adequate environmental controls and public participation.

On November 10, 1988, the Committee submitted its report to the Minister with the following recommendations:

- redevelopment of the existing, privately held lands in the Motel Strip should not be subject to the Environmental Assessment Act;

- shoreline and nearshore redevelopment, including lakefilling, dredging, and associated facilities, along the Motel Strip should be subject to the Environmental Assessment Act, and there should be a single environmental assessment for this redevelopment with the Metropolitan Toronto and Region Conservation Authority (MTRCA) as either the proponent, or the coordinator of the several private developers;

- the provincial government should take an active role to ensure coordination of waterfront redevelopment of the Motel Strip lands with other waterfront redevelopments and ensure that cumulative environmental and planning effects are addressed fully; and

- the Ministry of Municipal Affairs should review the Planning Act to ensure that environmental concerns, including cumulative effects, are addressed comprehensively in the planning process, and the Ministry of the Environment should clarify when the Environmental Assessment Act should apply to development projects.

On May 9, 1989, the Minister released his decision that the area would not be designated under the Environmental Assessment Act provided that:

- an Environmental Management Master Plan for the area is completed;

- the City imposes methods of ensuring implementation of conditions of the Master Plan; and

- an on-site environmental consultant is hired during construction to ensure compliance to the official plan policies and Master Plan.

In addition, the Minister of Municipal Affairs declared the Official Plan Amendment to be a matter of provincial interest under Section 17(19) of the Planning Act, giving Cabinet authority to make the final decision on the amendment.

Since then, the Environmental Management Master Plan has been submitted, and on January 12, 1990 was approved with conditions by the Ministry.

Referral #34 - City of Toronto's Phase 1 Eastern Beaches Stormwater and Combined Sewer Overflow Detention Facility - Requests for Bump-Up

On February 6, 1989, the Minister asked the Committee to carry out a Defined Review on requests to bump up, to an individual environmental assessment, Phase 1 of the City of Toronto's proposed Eastern Beaches stormwater and combined sewer overflow detention facility. The City had followed the requirements of the Class EA for Municipal Sewage and Water Projects, and on January 13, 1989 the Minister received the first of several requests from area residents for an individual environmental assessment.

The proposed detention facility, designed to improve the water quality along Toronto's Eastern Beaches, would be developed in two phases. Under review was Phase 1, the construction of a $4 million, 2,250 cubic metre underground tank in a park at the Eastern Beaches. Runoff would be collected and detained, and later pumped to Metro Toronto's Main Sewage Treatment Plant for treatment prior to discharge into Lake Ontario.

The Committee held a public meeting, attended by about 100 individuals, on the evening of February 27. Submitters raised differing views about the source of the pollution, the need to coordinate the planning of several related projects, the capacity of the Main Sewage Treatment Plant, the adequacy of the proposed technology and assessment of alternatives, impacts of the proposed tank on the neighborhood, and public consultation for the project.

On March 6, the Committee submitted its report recommending that:

- the proposed Phase 1 facility not be bump-up to an individual environmental assessment;

- the City of Toronto establish a liaison committee consisting of local residents and public works officials to address concerns during construction and operation of the Phase 1 facility; and

- planning of Phase 2 of the facility should follow the full five-step process set out for Schedule C projects in the Class EA for Municipal Sewage and Water Projects.

On March 27, the Minister announced his decision accepting the Committee's recommendations. Construction of the detention tank began in late 1989.

REFERRALS DURING 1989-90

The following are brief descriptions of the ten referrals received by the Committee during the period from April 1, 1989 to March 31, 1990.

Referral # 35 - Town of Caledon Road Along the King/Caledon Townline - Requests for Bump-up

On April 13, 1989, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct an Open Review on requests for an individual environmental assessment of the Town of Caledon's proposed construction/reconstruction of the King/Caledon Townline Road in Bolton. The Town was planning to undertake the project in several phases, and had prepared an Environmental Study Report (ESR) under the Class EA for Municipal Road Projects for a part of the overall project. The Minister received requests for an individual EA from the Township of King and several hundred Bolton and King Township residents.

The Committee held a public meeting on May 17, attended by about 125 individuals, at which the Town of Caledon argued that the early phase of the project was needed to relieve local traffic. Those who requested an environmental assessment stated that the ESR was inadequate, and that the construction of the project for which the ESR was done would prejudice planning in favour of a future extension of the road through an environmentally significant area.

The Committee submitted its report on May 30 stating that the decision to proceed with the project was based on insufficient information and inadequate environmental planning, as the transportation and environmental studies were used to rationalize previous decisions and considered only mitigation. The Committee also stated that the various phases of the project are related and should be considered as one project, even if it is divided into stages for the purposes of construction. The Committee recommended that the proposed construction of the Townline Road should be bumped up and a single individual assessment should be required for new arterial roads undertaken by the Town of Caledon to serve and bypass Bolton.

On July 7, 1989 the Minister accepted the Committee's recommendation.

Referral #36 - Mara Township Quarry Mining Truck Route - Requests for Bump-up

On May 31, 1989, the Minister asked the Committee to carry out an Open Review of requests by several local residents for an individual environmental assessment for a quarry mining truck route proposed by the Township of Mara in Simcoe County. The new route was intended to provide aggregate quarry companies in the region with a bypass around the Village of Brechin. Planning for the project had followed the requirements of the Class EA for Municipal Road Projects, including the preparation of an Environmental Study Report.

The Committee held a public meeting in Brechin on the evening of June 27, and submitted its report on July 10, concluding that the Environmental Study Report provided a thorough analysis and evaluation of the alternatives, and that opposition to the chosen alternative appeared to be based on individual differences of opinion. The Committee believed that it was unlikely that an individual environmental assessment would add substantively to the decision making process, but would result in delay and add cost to a project which is needed to address a significant problem for residents in the area. The Committee therefore recommended that the project not be bumped up to an individual environmental assessment. On September 12, 1989, the Minister accepted the Committee's recommendation.

In its report, the Committee also noted two issues raised in the referral that have implications of a broader nature and should be addressed in the review of the Municipal Class EAs. One issue is that a person formally involved in the Class EA process may benefit unfairly from involvement in the process. The second is the appropriateness of asking for public input after the municipal council has endorsed one of the alternatives. While the Committee did not believe that these issues affected the quality of the decision making in the Mara project, they are potential problems in the Class EA process.

Referral #37 - Development on the Creditview Wetland, City of Mississauga - Requests for Designation

On July 4, 1989, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct an Open Review and provide advice on the need for an environmental assessment for development on the Creditview Wetland and catchment area in Mississauga, and on other means of protecting the integrity of this Class III (regionally significant) Wetland. Two developers had received draft plan approval for housing developments on this 11.5 hectare wetland and catchment area. In November 1988, the Minister received a request, supported by several thousand letters, that these developments be designated under the Environmental Assessment Act. The Committee held a public meeting, attended by about 200 people, in Missisauga on September 13, 1989.

In its report, submitted on October 4, 1989, the Committee noted the inadequacy of the municipal planning process and public sector acquisition program to meet the challenge of wetland preservation. The Committee cited the lack of sufficient data to make informed decisions and the inadequacy of the wetland evaluation system to identify and assess small isolated wetlands. Planning at both the municipal and provincial levels should require an adequate land inventory, identification of natural areas, and a comparison of natural areas in terms of other regional natural areas. In order to ensure preservation of significant wetlands, there is a need to strengthen Planning Act requirements, in addition to a Wetlands Policy, and for a realistic budget for wetlands acquisition.

With respect to the Creditview Wetland, it was the Committee's opinion that every effort should be made to preserve the Wetland. The Committee recommended that the Minister should initiate and facilitate negotiations among the relevant parties, and that a mediator should be appointed to help with these negotiations. The Committee rejected designation under the Environmental Assessment Act in the first instance because it would be unlikely to produce any additional data about the significance of the Wetland, and, in comparison to negotiations, would be an indirect and lengthy process that would not necessarily provide an acceptable solution. If negotiations fail, however, then the only existing mechanisms to preserve the Wetland appeared to be designation under the Environmental Assessment Act or acquisition.

On October 31, the Minister accepted the Committee's recommendations and indicated his intention to designate the developments should negotiations fail. Negotiations have been proceeding, though without a mediator.

Referral #38 - The Adequacy of the Existing Environmental Planning and Approvals Process for the Ganaraska Watershed

On July 6, 1989, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct an Open Review on the adequacy of the existing environmental planning and approvals process to protect the watershed of the Ganaraska River in view of potential development in the area. The referral arose from designation requests by local residents concerned about development in the headwaters area in Durham Region. The Committee held a public meeting in Newcastle on September 7.

The Committee received submissions on the environmental significance and vulnerability of the Ganaraska Watershed and the Oak Ridges Moraine, the nature of development pressures across the Moraine, the adequacy of the existing planning and approvals process and options for improvements to this process.

On November 15, the Committee submitted its report to the Minister with fourteen recommendations regarding environmental planning and approvals in the Watershed, and more generally across the Oak Ridges Moraine and the Province. The Committee stated that a prerequisite for

sound land use planning is a full understanding of the resources and environmental features of the area to be protected, and the potential impacts of future activities on those resources and features, but that this necessary information is not currently available. The Committee therefore recommended that the Region of Durham, as part of its current Official Plan review, carry out, with provincial assistance, studies of environmental resources in the area and the potential cumulative impacts of land use changes.

In order to protect the Ganaraska headwaters area until these studies have been completed and the official plan revisions are in place, the Committee recommended that the Region of Durham impose a temporary moratorium on official plan amendments in the area. Also as a temporary measure, the Minister should direct Ministry staff who comment on proposed official plan amendments and applications for subdivision approval in the headwaters area to oppose all such applications.

Toward the same end, the Committee recommended that the Province use its power under the Planning Act to declare that land use changes in the headwaters area are matters of "provincial interest". If a temporary moratorium is not established effectively through these other means, the Minister should ask Cabinet to designate under the Environmental Assessment Act all proposals for land use intensification in the headwaters area.

The Committee also raised concerns about coordination among planning jurisdictions and the need to plan on an ecosystem basis. To address these concerns, the Committee recommended that the Province consider how to give Conservation Authorities, which are the only agencies with a mandate organized on a watershed basis, a more effective role in protecting against negative cumulative effects of land use planning policies and approvals. Because there is presently no agency with an explicit mandate to coordinate or even advocate overall protection of the environmental quality of the Oak Ridges Moraine, the Committee also recommended that the Province initiate a process for developing a comprehensive approach to land-use planning and environmental protection for the Moraine. Until this process is in place, the government should ensure interim protection of the Moraine.

In a second section of the report, the Committee outlined generic concerns about the existing environmental planning and approvals process as demonstrated in the Ganaraska case. The Committee set out four basic requirements for an environmentally enlightened land use planning process:

- collection of adequate baseline information on environmental resources, their importance and vulnerability;

- recognition of resource preservation and environmental protection goals and needs, identification of cumulative as well as specific impacts to be avoided, and the setting of appropriate development objectives and limitations;

- consistent and effective adherence to the identified goals, requirements, and limitations; and

- recognition and protection of interregional environmental resources.

The Committee argued that none of these prerequisites is now met in Ontario's current land use planning process, and that the process is not capable of ensuring permanent protection of environmentally important areas. The Committee stated that, in theory, the preparation of official plans for guiding land use under the Planning Act could anticipate and address the problems of environmental impacts if a reasonably complete information base were available, but in practice this does not happen and the limited protection afforded by official plan designation is vulnerable to incremental erosion. Procedures for amending official plans and approving individual projects also do not ensure effective recognition of environmental protection needs, especially where cumulative effects may be involved. Finally, the Committee noted a lack of co-ordination, and consequently, little consistency, in the environmental protection efforts of planning authorities. The Committee concluded that the current land-use planning and approvals process in Ontario is inadequate to the task of maintaining social and ecological quality in the face of development pressures.

The Committee recommended that the Province recognize that the existing land-use planning and approvals process does not provide satisfactory means of protecting the environment, especially from the negative cumulative effects of intensifying land use. The Province should begin immediately to prepare a package of reforms to incorporate effective commitment to environmental stewardship in land-use planning. As an immediate step, the Committee recommended that the Minister of the Environment initiate a review of options under the Environmental Assessment Act to ensure that effective attention is given to environmental concerns in land-use planning decisions. In addition, the Minister of Municipal Affairs should introduce an immediate amendment to the Planning Act to establish clearly that overall environmental quality issues and cumulative environmental effects are legitimate and necessary components of deliberations on land-use decisions.

Lastly, to address the problem of cumulative impacts, the Committee recommended that the Minister of Environment direct his staff to comment on the nature and significance of any cumulative environmental effects when reviewing official plans, plan amendments, and site specific proposals. The Minister should announce the government's intention to designate under the Environmental Assessment Act any planning proposal that raises significant, unattended concerns about cumulative environmental effects.

In December 1989, the Minister released the report for public comment. The Ministry received about sixty responses. No decisions regarding the recommendations have yet been made.

Referral #39 - Review of Recommendations of Phase I of the Environmental Assessment Program Improvement Project

In April 1988, the Ministry of the Environment began a review of Ontario's environmental assessment process. This review, known as the Environmental Assessment Program Improvement Project (EAPIP), was set up in two phases to examine ways of improving the effectiveness and efficiency of the process through changes in legislation, regulations, policies, guidelines and administrative practices. Phase 1 was to focus on non-controversial matters of an administrative nature; and Phase 2 was to examine more complex questions.

On July 26, 1989, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct an Open Review on the Phase 1 recommendations and related matters. Notices requesting submisssions were sent to several thousand groups and individuals, and the Committee held public meetings in Thunder Bay and Toronto on September 19 and 20, 1989.

The Committee submitted its report in two parts. Part 1, which was submitted on October 20, 1989, addressed EAPIP's nine recommended changes requiring amendments to the Environmental Assessment Act. Of the nine proposed changes, the Committee recommended:

- full acceptance of one proposed change to provide that when the EA Board conducts a hearing, it exercises the Minister's powers to make decisions and impose terms and conditions;

- conditional acceptance of six changes regarding:

  - the mailing of notices to the public,
  - allowing the Minister to make changes to an undertaking after the acceptance/approval decisions,
  - public notice of submission of an environmental assessment,
  - delegation of specific aspects of an approval to a Director,
  - allowing the Minister or EA Board to amend previous approval decisions for the purpose of clarification, and
  - multiple hearings held under the Environmental Assessment Act, Part V of the Environmental Protection Act and the Ontario Water Resources Act;

- partial acceptance of one proposed change regarding the authority to make regulations; and

- rejection at this time, and the need for further consideration in Phase 2, of one proposed change concerning the use of Class Environmental Assessments.

Most of the Committee's recommendations added specificity to the changes proposed by EAPIP.

Part 2 of the Committee's report, submitted on December 8, 1989, summarized all additional comments made to the Committee but, in keeping with the purpose of Phase 1, discussed only those non-legislative matters raised by submitters that appeared to be non-controversial and relatively straightforward. Although the Committee appreciated that many of the controversial, legislative, and more complex points raised by submitters would be better addressed in Phase 2, the Committee felt that submitters had raised important matters which could be addressed immediately and did not have to be put entirely on hold until completion of Phase 2. The Committee saw opportunities for immediate government action to improve the EA process significantly, particularly with respect to the following:

- presubmission consultation,
- responsibilities of the EA Branch planner/review co-ordinator,
- time limits for government review,
- decision making on exemption and designation requests, and
- level of government resources committed to the environmental assessment process.

In late October 1989, the Ministry formed an Environmental Assessment Task Force to accelerate the process of developing a final discussion paper containing recommendations for reforms to the EA program. On January 11, 1990, the Minister released the Committee's Phase 1 reports to the public, and stated that Phases 1 and 2 of the review would be combined. The Minister also requested the Task Force to review whether some of the Committee's suggestions could be implemented prior to the completion of Phase 2. It is expected that the government will be releasing its discussion paper, which will incorporate both phases, in mid to late 1990. The Minister has stated that the Committee will conduct a public review of the paper.

Referral #40 - Condominium Development by Runnymede Development Corp. in the City of Scarborough - Requests for Designation

On August 24, 1989, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct an Open Review on whether a high-rise condominium development in the City of Scarborough should be subject to the Environmental Assessment Act. The Minister had received requests from a number of local residents and the Cities of Scarborough and Toronto that the development be designated under the Environmental Assessment Act.

The Committee held a public meeting in Scarborough on October 4. The major concerns raised by those wanting an environmental assessment were that the development would be over a former municipal landfill and that the scale of the development, which was approved over 20 years ago, is inappropriate today.

On November 10, the Committee reported to the Minister stating that the proposed development raises potentially significant environmental concerns related to both public health and safety, and land use planning. However, the necessary public review of the development could occur without using the Environmental Assessment Act if both the Minister and the City take specific steps. The public concerns had already been clearly identified and the development required approvals under the Environmental Protection Act. The Committee therefore recommended that the development not be designated under the Environmental Assessment Act provided that no approval is granted under the Environmental Protection Act (Sections 8 and 45) until the following steps are taken:

- the City of Scarborough has reviewed and adopted a position on the appropriateness of the current land use designation and exhausted its options in the courts and under the Planning Act;

- the proponent has considered alternative ways of managing the wastes on the site;

- the City has retained an engineering consultant to review the development and has made the consultant's report public; and

- a public liaison committee has been established to set terms of reference for the review and to provide input to the City.

On January 11, 1990, the Minister accepted the Committee's recommendation.

Referral # 41 - Sydenham Mills Subdivision in the Township of Sydenham, Grey County - Requests for Designation - and the Adequacy of the Existing Environmental Planning and Approval Process in Grey County

On November 21, 1989, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct an Open Review on two related matters:

- whether an environmental assessment should be required for a proposed subdivision in Sydenham Township in Grey County; and
- the adequacy of the existing planning and approvals process to address environmental concerns arising from land development in Grey County.

The Committee held public meetings, each attended by over 400 people, in the City of Owen Sound on January 11 and 22 and February 12, 1990, and received over 130 written or oral submissions on these two matters.

The Committee decided to address these two matters in separate reports, and on February 14 submitted a report on whether there should be an environmental assessment of the proposed Sydenham Mills Subdivision. Given the complexity and the amount of public interest in environmental planning in Grey County, more time was required to prepare a report on this larger issue. Since this second report has not yet been submitted, it will be summarized in a subsequent annual report.

In its report on the Sydenham Mills Subdivision, the Committee stated that the proposed 25 hectare, 25 lot estate-residential subdivision raises two types of environmental concerns: local biophysical impacts, and cumulative impacts of the subdivision together with other potential developments in the immediate area. These include potential impacts on surface and ground water, loss of a natural, wooded area, and the future need for municipal services.

The Committee found that controversy in this case arose in part from local residents' dissatisfaction with decision making by local planning bodies. For example, it is regrettable that the proponent pursued and received County approval for individual lot severences for part of the subdivision after public concerns were raised about the Plan of Subdivision. It is also unfortunate that responsibility fell to a private citizen to request a hearing of the Ontario Municipal Board (OMB) on these severence applications in order to ensure that the development would be considered as a whole.

Opponents of the subdivision requested an environmental assessment because of their concern that the OMB would not give due consideration to environmental impacts. However, the OMB clearly has the legislative power to consider the full range of environmental concerns when deciding on development applications, and would have this opportunity if the necessary information were presented to it.

The Committee, however, raised concerns that all the relevant information may not be presented by government agencies at the upcoming OMB hearing on the subdivision. The Committee stated that it is incumbent on these agencies to provide an independent review of the environmental issues and present their conclusions at the hearing. Otherwise, an undue burden falls on the public to ensure that these issues are addressed. The Committee also raised concerns about the cost to the public of participating in the existing planning process, particularly at an OMB hearing, as compared to participation in the environmental assessment process where there is intervenor funding and the awarding of costs. Finally, the Committee stated that estate-residential developments should be reviewed in light of cumulative effects on the environment, but that such effects may not be addressed adequately through the existing planning process. Government agencies, including the OMB, are limited in their abilities to consider cumulative effects since there is a lack of relevant data and the planning process focuses on individual development proposals.

The Committee concluded that, despite the concerns raised, the OMB should be able to address at least the local environmental concerns with respect to the proposed subdivision provided that government agencies carefully review the proponent's application and reports, and present their

findings at the OMB hearing. Designation of the subdivision under the Environmental Assessment Act would add little to the existing planning process, and would unnecessarily duplicate and delay decision making on the proposal.

On March 30, 1990, the Minister accepted the Committee's recommendation that the proposed subdivision not be designated under the Environmental Assessment Act, that the staff of MOE and other relevant agencies review the subdivision application and related reports in a comprehensive manner, including potential cumulative impacts on the surrounding area, and that they present these findings at the OMB hearing. At the OMB hearing which began on June 11 and is to resume in September, several ministries, including MOE, objected to the subdivision due to concerns raised in their reviews of the subdivision proposal.

Referral #42 - Evaluation of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessments

On November 21, 1989, the Minister requested the Committee to conduct an Open Review on the evaluation by the Municipal Engineers' Association (MEA) of the two Class Environmental Assessments for Municipal Sewage and Water Projects and for Municipal Road Projects. These Class EAs expire on April 2, 1992, and the Minister will have to decide on their extension and any necessary changes to them. In anticipation of this, the MEA is required to review these Class EAs and report to the Minister by April 1991.

The Minister asked the Committee for comments on whether the type of information being collected by the MEA is appropriate, whether the needs of all stakeholders are being adequately addressed, and any other related topics. The Minister also indicated that he plans to ask the Committee to carry out a public review on the request for extension of the approvals of the Class EAs which MEA is expected to submit by April 1991.

In its report, submitted on April 6, the Committee identified a number of issues and concerns regarding the adequacy of public involvement under the municipal Class EAs, application of the Class EAs to specific kinds of undertakings, and the overall effectiveness of the current requirements. The Committee recommended that any request by

the MEA to extend or change the municipal Class EAs include a discussion of how these issues and concerns are being addressed through proposed changes. The Committee also raised concerns and made recommendations about the clarity of the requirements and documents, and about the need for an education program on the Class EAs requirements, for monitoring the implementation and effectiveness of the Class EAs, and for a mechanism to amend and clarify them.

On May 30, the Minister wrote to the MEA stating that the Committee had raised a number of important concerns which the MEA should address prior to any request to extend or change the Class EAs.

Referral #43 - Extension of Approval of the Class Environmental Assessment for Water Management Structures by Conservation Authorities

On January 5, 1990, the Minister requested the Committee to conduct an Open Review on whether approval of the Class Environmental Assessment for Water Management Structures should be extended for another five year period, and what changes, if any, should be made to the Class EA. In September 1989, the Association of Conservation Authorities (ACAO), on behalf of the 38 Authorities, requested an extension of the approval of this Class EA which expires in December 1990.

This Class EA applies to projects that address problems associated with flooding, erosion and sedimentation, and having construction costs ranging between $175,000 and $2.7 million. These include channel alterations and bank stabilization, dykes, dams, impoundments and weirs, and shoreline protection structures undertaken by Conservation Authorities and, less frequently, by municipalities. No environmental assessment is required for projects with construction costs less than $175,000 and individual environmental assessments are required for projects with construction costs more than $2.7 million.

The Committee held a public meeting in Toronto on April 11, 1990 and submitted its report to the Minister on June 22, 1990.

Referral #44 - Eagle Creek Golf Course and Subdivision - Requests for Designation

On January 17, 1990, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct an Open Review on whether an environmental assessment should be required for the proposed 123 hectare Eagle Creek Golf Course and Subdivision in the Township of West Carleton. The Minister had received requests to designate the development under the Environmental Assessment Act because of concerns about the potential negative impacts on area water supplies and the adjacent Constance Creek Wetland (a Class I wetland) due to the use of chemicals on the golf course and the infilling of part of the Wetland.

The Committee held a meeting in West Carleton on March 21, and on April 23 submitted an interim report to the Minister saying that the Committee had decided not to make a recommendation at that time. Since an Ontario Municipal Board (OMB) hearing on the matter was to resume on April 30, the Committee decided, and informed the participants, that it would wait until the OMB had made its decision under the Planning Act and then ask for further submissions on the need for an environmental assessment. The OMB has completed its hearing, and a decision is pending.

Referral #45 - Bradford Public Utilities Commission Well on the Horlings Property in King Township - Requests for Bump-up - and Water Taking In and Near the Holland Marsh

On March 1, 1990, the Minister requested the Committee to conduct an Open Review on two related matters:

- whether an individual environmental assessment should be required for a proposed municipal well for the Town of Bradford, to be located in the Holland Marsh in King Township; and

- the more general issue of water taking as it relates to urban growth and farming activities in the Holland Marsh and adjacent areas in York Region and Simcoe County.

The Bradford Public Utilities Commission (BPUC) has proposed to develop a municipal well in King Township, a pumping station and a

pipeline to meet part of Bradford's future water needs. Planning for this undertaking followed the planning process for a Schedule C project under the Class Environmental Assessment for Municipal Sewage and Water Projects. Following the release of the Environmental Study Report, King Township passed a resolution in July 1989 requesting a bump-up to require an individual environmental assessment for the project.

The Committee held a public meeting on April 11 and 12 in Newmarket, and reported to the Minister on June 29, 1990.

Referral #46 - Expansion of LAC Minerals Ltd.'s Limestone Aggregate Operations in the Town of Milton - Requests for Designation

On March 30, 1990, the Minister asked the Committee to conduct an Open Review on requests to designate a proposal by LAC Minerals Ltd. to expand its limestone aggregate operations in the Town of Milton. The Minister had received the first of numerous designation requests in July 1989.

On April 12, LAC Minerals announced that it will not proceed with its application to expand its operations. The Committee, in consultation with the Minister, therefore decided that its review should wait until there is more information on the future use of this land by LAC Minerals, and requested parties to provide the Committee with information to assist in determining if and when to proceed with the review.

MONITORING OF REQUESTS

In addition to providing advice to the Minister of the Environment on individual requests for exemption, designation or bump-up, the Committee monitors all such requests.

During the 1988-89 reporting period, the Minister received requests concerning 81 undertakings: exemption requests for 32 undertakings, bump-up requests for 23 undertakings, and designation requests for 26 undertakings.

During the 1989-90 reporting period, the Minister received requests concerning 99 undertakings: exemption requests for 32 undertakings, bump-up requests for 25 undertakings, and designation requests for 42 undertakings.

Of the total of 180 requests during the two year period, 5 bump-up requests and 7 designation requests were referred to the Committee. Table 1 summarizes the status of these requests as of March 31, 1990.

Table 1 Undertakings for which Exemption, Designation, or Bump-up was Requested, April 1, 1988 - March 31, 1989 and April 1, 1989 - March 31, 1990

	Exemption		Bump-up		Designation	
	88-89	89-90	88-89	89-90	88-89	89-90
Total Requests	**32**	**32**	**23**	**25**	**26**	**42**
Status (March 31, 1990)						
Granted	28	21	1	0	3	4
Denied	0	0	15	8	15	4
Pending	3	11	2	11	5	32
Other*	1	0	5	6	3	2
Requests Referred to EAAC**	0	0	4	1	5	2

* Other includes withdrawn undertakings, withdrawn requests and undertakings under federal jurisdiction.

** The referrals are counted according to the year in which the request was made to the Minister.

Exemption Requests

The 64 exemption requests received during 1988-90 fall into the following categories:

Ministry of Government Services

- capital construction projects for government facilities (10 projects)
- planning and development of land (6 projects)
- program exemption for MGS activities

Ministry of Natural Resources

- 7 extensions of program exemptions for:
  . disposition of Crown resources
  . cottage lot development program
  . provincial parks program
  . federal/provincial employment program
- park visitor centre
- fish culture station program
- timber access road

Municipalities

- landfill expansions (9 projects)
- new landfills (3 projects)
- clay extraction site
- electric transformer stations (2 projects)
- industrial park
- transportation corridor
- housing project

Ministry of Environment

- site clean-up and remediation (10 projects, 1 program)
- leasing of Crown land for sewage disposal operation

Ministry of Transportation

- property acquisition and construction for highway

Ministry of Northern Development and Mines

- disposition of crown resources
- gold mine access road

Ontario Hydro

- heat recovery systems program
- property acquisition for ash disposal

Other

- private landfill expansion
- community college construction

In late 1989, the government instituted two administrative changes which should improve the process for considering exemptions under the Environmental Assessment Act. The Minister of the Environment approved a policy on exemptions for landfill expansions, which will apply to a significant number of expected exemption requests from municipalities. In addition, MGS was granted a program exemption for most of its activities while it is developing a class environmental assessment (see Referral #31). The number of individual exemptions granted to MGS, which

was one quarter of all exemptions, should therefore decrease significantly in the future. This underscores the need for MGS to have in place its class EA by January 1992, when the program exemption expires, so that there is a proper, agreed upon EA review process for MGS activities.

Bump-up Requests

The 48 bump-up requests received during 1988-90 fall into the following categories:

Projects under the Class EA for Municipal Road Projects

- 23 road projects

Projects under the Class EA for Municipal Water and Sewage Projects

- 13 water supply projects
- 10 sewage and stormwater projects

Projects under the Class EA for Water Management Structures for the Conservation Authorities of Ontario

- flood control plan
- creek diversion

The number of bump-up requests has increased dramatically in the last three years, following the approval in 1985 of two class environmental assessments for municipal projects. Most of these requests have been denied or decisions are pending. The class EAs provide a process for the public to request an individual environmental assessment where the routine "class process" is not felt to be sufficient. However, past experience shows that there is little likelihood of a project being bumped up, particularly without a referral to the Committee, and decisions on these requests have taken much longer than the 45 day period set out in the class EAs.

Designation Requests

Table 2 shows the breakdown of designation requests between private and public sector undertakings received by the Minister during the past six years. Public sector designation requests are for public undertakings which have previously been exempted from the Environmental Assessment Act.

Table 2 Designation Requests, April 1, 1984 - March 31, 1990

Year	Private Sector	Public Sector	Total	Status as of March 31, 1990			
				Granted	Denied	Pending	Other*
1984-85	2	3	5	-	5	-	-
1985-86	9	6	15	-	9	1	5
1986-87	15	8	23	2	5	4	12
1987-88	16	9	25	2	14	6	3
1988-89	19	7	26	3	15	5	3
1989-90	25	17	42	4	4	32	2

* Other includes withdrawn undertakings, withdrawn requests and undertakings under federal jurisdiction.

The 68 designation requests received during 1988-90 fall into the following categories:

Waste Treatment/Disposal Facilities

- new or expanded landfills (4)
- incineration facilities (4)
- other facilities (3)

Hydro-electric Projects

- river basin development for hydro
- bank erosion project

Parks

- plan for provincial park
- provincial park policy

Marina/Docking Projects

- new facilities (6)

Other Municipal Undertakings

- recreation facilities (2)
- municipal boundary change
- drainage project
- sewage lagoon expansion
- bridge reconstruction

Gravel Pits/Quarries

- expansions (5)
- new sites (4)

Timber Management

- MNR timber management plans (6 plans)

Land Development

- subdivisions (11)
- high-rise developments (3)
- Official Plan Amendments (2)
- development in Rouge Valley

Other Private Sector

- road projects (3)
- resort developments (2)
- dam project
- asphalt plant
- mining development
- pulp mill

The number of designation requests increased signficantly between the two reporting years, with few of the requests granted and most either denied or the decision is pending. It took on average, approximately 8 months to make decisions on 18 designation requests made during 1988-89. The time taken to make decisions on designation requests continues to be a matter of concern since, if the EA process is to apply, it should begin early in the planning process. The lack of established, publicly-stated criteria for making decisions on designation requests causes uncertainty for private sector proponents and the public, which lessens the credibility of the entire process.

SUMMARY REMARKS: ISSUES AND OPPORTUNITIES

The Committee has been busy since its last reporting period with a total of 16 referrals in a two year period. The twelve referrals during the 1989-90 reporting period represents a significant and important increase in the use of the Committee as a vehicle for public input to decisions by the Minister. While the Committee continues to provide advice primarily on whether the Environmental Assessment Act should apply to particular undertakings, the focus of a number of recent referrals from the Minister has been on the adequacy of the land use planning and approval processes to address environmental concerns, particularly those arising from land use intensification.

The recent increase in designation requests concerning land development demonstrates a growing concern that the existing planning and approval processes do not ensure protection of the environment. In the Committee's referrals on the Etobicoke Motel Strip, Creditview Wetland, Ganaraska Watershed, Sydenham Mills Subdivision, Eagle Creek Golf Course and Subdivision, and Water Taking in the Holland Marsh, important questions were raised about whether planning and approvals made under existing legislation adequately consider environmental effects and cumulative impacts. In particular, there are legitimate concerns over incremental destruction of natural areas by public and private sector developments, and dissatisfaction with the mechanisms for environmental protection offered under the Planning Act.

It is clear to the Committee that the existing planning and approval processes do not adequately address the cumulative effects of individual proposals. Particularly in the south-central region of Ontario, where there is rapid urban and suburban expansion, these limitations are already critical. The urgency for resolution of these problems is growing as the environmental costs, including the loss of irreplaceable resources and natural areas, mount. Increasingly, the public is turning to the Environmental Assessment Act to address such concerns.

The Committee has now raised these issues in a number of reports and made a series of recommendations to improve the planning and approval process so that environmental concerns, including cumulative

effects, are properly addressed. A major, coordinated effort is required to meet the challenge of establishing mechanisms to ensure overall, long-term protection of the environment without creating costly delays in decision making. This will undoubtedly require a new vision, with major changes in legislation and administration; tinkering is not enough.

A second area of concern centres on requests for designation of timber management plans prepared by the Ministry of Natural Resources. Since February 1988, there have been 12 requests for designation of such plans, with 6 of these during the two year reporting period. Given that a decision of the EA Board on the Ministry of Natural Resources' Class Environmental Assessment for Timber Management is unlikely before 1992, an interim approach to resolving the disputes over timber management is required. Designation requests for several of these timber management plans date back to early 1988. These requests have received no response to date.

Related to this are the Committee's long-standing concerns about the process for handling exemption, designation and bump-up requests, as discussed in previous annual reports. These include:

- length of time to make decisions about the application of the Act,
- lack of criteria for determining application of the Act to private sector undertakings,
- use of exemption orders with detailed conditions, and
- lack of a policy to deal with interrelated economic planning and environmental issues in Northern Ontario.

These issues have yet to be resolved and remain as pressing today as they were several years ago. The full benefits of the Environmental Assessment Act as a planning and environmental protection tool will not be realized until these issues are resolved. Unfortunately the government's current review of the environmental assessment program is unlikely to resolve most of these issues in the near future. In the interim, action on these concerns could and should be initiated.

Many agencies and proponents have a fundamental apprehension of the environmental assessment process, and believe that environmental

concerns can be sufficiently addressed under other legislation. Environmental assessment, however, requires broader consideration of alternatives, and does not assume that all environmental effects can be mitigated. It can and should be the primary mechanism for environmental planning and making hard decisions. If administration of the Act is strengthened, at least some of the fears of its application should diminish. Every effort should be made to improve the administration of the Act and its coordination with other legislation in order to make environmental assessment a practical and effective process for the protection, conservation and wise management of the environment.

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88-001-D	Kaministiquia River Hydro Development, Thunder Bay	JAN 12/88	MAR 9/88 Report Submitted APR 6/88	**Private developer, Mr. R. Whiteside.** Hydro development on Kaministiquia River near Thunder Bay consisting of 3 MW power station, dam, reservoir, access road and transmission lines, at a cost of approx. $6M. **Thunder Bay Kayak & Canoe Club**	Designated, O.Reg 335/88 & limited exemption of alternatives, O.Reg. 336/88 (KAM-1)	MAY 19/88
88-002-D	North Bay EFW	JAN 11/88	-	**(TSI) Trintec Systems Inc.** Energy From Waste plant in North Bay. **Pollution Probe**	Designation denied	OCT 12/88
88-003-D	Wat-Cha Development, Grey County	JAN 18/88 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Wat-Cha Farms Ltd.** Industrial development on 120 hectares of rurally zoned lands in Township of Normanby, Grey County. **Citizens for the Protection of the Environment Foodlands, Grey County Federation of Agriculture and Local Residents**	Designation denied	MAR 7/89
88-004-D	Wonderland Lake Quarry Development	JAN 28/88	-	**Nelson Granite Quarries, Kenora; Canatel, Winnipeg** Quarry development at Wonderland Lake. **Farlane Environmental Protection Association (of Winnipeg)**		
88-005-D	Lanark Timber Management Plan	FEB 3/88	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Lanark Crown Management Unit - Timber Management Plan (1988-2008) which includes road construction and logging. **Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society**		

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88-006-D	Smith Twp. Gravel Pit	JAN 7/88 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Doughty Farms Ltd.** Development and operation of a gravel pit on the edge of Lakefield Marsh in Smith Twp., Peterborough County. **Local Residents, Ruth Grier(MPP), and Ont. Fed. of Anglers & Hunters**	Twp. Council denied project	JUL 5/88
88-007-D	Mineral Aggregate Transport, Erieau	JAN 29/88	-	**Johnston Bros. (Bothwell) Ltd.** Shipping, Storage, and truck transportation of mineral aggregate through Village of Erieau, County of Kent **Friends of Erieau (FOE) Assoc.**	Designation denied	JAN 5/89
88-008-B	Hamilton Perimeter Road	JAN 6/88 JAN 8/88 MAY 9/88	-	**Regional Municipality of Hamilton - Wentworth** Hamilton Perimeter Road Project. **Hamilton Naturalists' Club, Local Resident and North End Information Service**	Premature to bump up at this time	APR 13/88 MAY 25/88 JUL 5/88
88-009-D	Fraser Bay Hill Quarry (Killarney Twp.)	FEB 19/88	-	**Falconbridge Ltd.** Quarrying of silica at Fraser Bay Hill, a few miles west of Killarney Provincial Park. **North Channel Preservation Society**	Project withdrawn	SPRING 1990
88-010-E	Northern Treatment Centre, Sault St. Marie	MAR 9/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of a Correctional Treatment Centre in Sault St. Marie for northern offenders suffering from psychiatric and behavioural disorders.	Exemption granted MGS-83	MAY 19/88

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88-011-D	Innisfil Waste Landfill Expansion	MAR 2/88	-	**Innisfil Landfill Corporation** Waste landfill expansion. **Local Resident**		
88-012-D	Preston Community Development, Cambridge	MAR 5/88	-	**City of Cambridge** Development of the flatlands & wetlands abutting the Speed River, Preston. **Local Resident**	Designation denied	JAN 20/89
88-013-E	Mining & Minerals Research Centre, Sudbury	MAR 9/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of a Mining & Minerals Research Centre in Sudbury at Laurentian University, costing approx. $60M.	Exemption granted MGS-80	MAR 2/89
88-014-E	MNR & MNDM Red Lake District Offices	MAR 9/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of a building for the district offices of MNR & MNDM in Red Lake, N.W. Ontario.	Exemption granted MGS-89	SEPT 16/88
88-015-D	Stoney Lake Condominium Development	MAR 21/88	-	**Mr. Henry Van Aarsen** 45 unit condominium development on a 40 acre lot on Stoney Lake. **Local Property Owner**	Designation denied	OCT 13/88

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88-016-D	Timmins Timber Management Plan	MAR 21/88	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Timber Management Plan for Timmins forest 1988-2008. **Marceau Lake Cottagers' Association**		
88-017-E	Kitchener #6 Transformer Station	MAR 30/88	-	**Kitchener - Wilmot Hydro Commission** Construction and operation of a transformer station in Kitchener.	Exemption granted KITCH C-1	JUL 28/88
88-018-E	Small Scale MNR Projects	MAR 23/88	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** The planning and implementation of small scale projects, until a new Class EA is approved.		
88-019-D	Newcastle Landfill	APR 25/88	-	**Laidlaw Inc.** Development and operation of a landfill site in Newcastle adjacent to the old Hale Landfill **Committee of Clark Constituents for the Environment**	Designation denied (See 89-003-E/D)	JUL 20/89
88-020-E	Sault Ste. Marie Office Complex	MAY 5/88		**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of office complex to house Ontario Lottery Corp., and agencies of MNR and the Ministry of Solicitor General. Cost estimate is $53,500,000.	Exemption granted MGS-81	NOV 3/88

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88-021-E	Wasaga Beach O.P.P. Building	MAY 10/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of an O.P.P. detachment centre in Wasaga Beach. Cost estimate $1.6 million.	Exemption granted MGS-91	SEPT 22/88
88-022-E	Pickle Lake O.P.P. Building	MAY 10/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of an O.P.P. detachment building in Pickle Lake, N.W. Ontario Cost estimate $1.625 million.	Exemption granted MGS-90	SEPT 1/88
88-023-E	Arrell Observation & Detention Home, Hamilton	MAY 10/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction, in Hamilton for the Ministry of Community & Social Services, of a new custodial facility for up to 22 children in crisis & conflict with the law. Estimated cost $4.45 million.	Exemption granted MGS-86	JUL 28/88
88-024-E	Agriculture & Food Office, Clinton	MAY 10/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of a building for the Ministry of Agriculture & Food's Huron County Office in the Town of Clinton. Cost estimate $1.25 M.		
88-025-E	Health Activities Centre, Penetanguishene	MAY 10/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction, for the Ministry of Health, of a recreation activities complex at the maximum security division of the Mental Health Centre in Penetanguishene.	Exemption granted MGS-88	SEPT 1/88

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88-026-E	Chippawa Creek Clean-up, Niagara Falls	APR 28/88	-	**Ministry of the Environment** Extension of MOE-32 to provide for clean-up of coal tar deposits on Ontario Hydro property, along Welland River in Niagara Falls, not covered in original exemption order. See 86-026-E.	Exemption granted MOE 32/1	JUNE 17/88
88-027-B	Inverhuron Flood Control	MAY 13/88	-	**Saugeen Valley Conservation Authority** Flood control plan in Inverhuron, Kincardine Twp. **Local Resident**	Bump-up denied	JAN 9/89
88-028-B	Albion/ Vaughan/ King Road (Bolton Bypass)	MAY 16/88	-	**Town of Caledon** Reconstruction of the Albion/Vaughan/King Road. **Township of King**	Premature to bump-up at this time	JULY 22/88
88-029-E	MNR Cottage Lot Program (Ext. of MNR-52)	MAY 23/88		**Ministry of Natural Resources** Extension of MNR-52 for MNR Cottage Lot Development to June 30, 1989.	Exemption granted MNR-52	JULY 14/88
88-030-B	Oakville Water Plant Expansion	JUNE 2/88	-	**Municipality of Oakville** Expansion of water purification plant to service the urban Phase II development in Oakville. **Trafalgar/Chartwell Residents' Association**	Bump-up denied	JULY 28/88

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88-031-D	Kahshe Lake Road	JUN 17/88	-	**Kahshe Lake Cottagers** Construction of a 7-10km private road on Crown land between Coopers Falls and Kahshe Lake, passing Clearwater Lake, Morrison Twp., Muskoka. **Clearwater Lake Property Owners Association**	Designation denied	DEC 8/88
88-032-E	Ontario Hydro Generator Units (Ext. of OH-13/2)	JUN 22/88	-	**Ontario Hydro** Three year extension of OH-13/2, on a program to install heat recovery systems on existing generator units.	Exemption granted OH-13/3	JUNE 30/89
88-033-E	St. Lawrence Sq. Housing Project, Toronto	JUN 23/88	-	**City of Toronto** Building Development including affordable and non-profit housing in the Parliament/King Street area comprising about 68 acres.	Exemption granted with conditions TOR-C-4	JULY 13/88
88-034-E	Metro Toronto Interim Landfill	JUN 22/88	-	**Metropolitan Toronto** Acquisition, construction and operation of one or more (unspecified) landfill sites to serve eastern Metro and Durham region for 5 years, replacing Brock West.		
88-035-E	Whitby Registry Office	JUL 4/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of a Registry Office for Consumer & Commercial Affairs on an 8 acre provincially owned site in Whitby.	Exemption granted MGS-92	MAR 31/89

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88-036-B	Angus Water Works	JUL 6/88 AUG 10/88	-	**Village of Essa, Township of Angus** Development of water wells and systems for Angus Twp. near an old landfill site. **Private Individuals**	Bump-up denied	AUG 24/88
88-037-E	Servos Septic Site Land	JUL 7/88	-	**Ministry of the Environment** Leasing of 75 hectares of Crown Land for human septage disposal operation in Servous Twp. to serve the needs of Dill Twp. & other communities south of the Sudbury Region.	Exemption granted MOE-35	AUG 16/88
88-038-D	Vespra Gravel Pit	JUN 28/88	-	**Glen Stewart of Hillway Equipment Ltd.** Operation of a gravel pit in Vespra Twp., Simcoe County. **Private Individual**		
88-039a-B 88-039b-B	Blackburn Hamlet Bypass/ Innes Road Reconstruction	MAY 17/88 JUN 3/88	-	**Regional Municipality of Ottawa Carlton** Construction of a bypass around Blackburn and the associated widening of Innes Road. **Environment Blackburn**	Bump-ups denied	JUL 22/88
88-040-B	King Street Reconstruction, Bolton	JUL 19/88	-	**Peel Regional Municipality** Widening of King Street, construction of bypass, and entrance to a new mall. **Bolton Valley Residents' Association**	Bump-up denied	AUG 26/88

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88-041-E	Niagara Neighbourhood Soil, Toronto	JUL 4/88	-	**Ministry of the Environment** The removal and cleanup of lead contaminated soil in the Niagara Neighbourhood, Toronto.	Exemption granted MOE-34	JUL 28/88
88-042-D	Fairfield Estates Subdivision	JUL 18/88 First Request	-	**David Anisman** A 233 acre development consisting of equestrian centre plus 75 houses on the Oak Ridges Moraine, King Twp. **Private Individuals**	Designation denied	APR 21/89
88-043-D	Gravel Pit Expansion, Sault Ste. Marie	AUG 5/88	-	**Dave Smith Ltd.** Gravel pit expansion on Old Goulais Bay Rd., Sault Ste. Marie. **Harris Street Residents**	Designation denied	JAN 20/89
88-044-D	Gravelly Bay Marina, Port Colborne	AUG 22/88	-	**Port Colborne** Landfilling and building of breakwalls as part of a marina project. **Gravelly Bay Residents' Association** (See 89-064-D)	Designation denied	
88-045-D	Etobicoke Motel Strip Redevelopment	AUG 24/88	SEPT29/88 Report Submitted NOV 10/88	**City of Etobicoke** An amendment to the Etobicoke Official Plan to provide for commercial and residential development, including lakefilling, along the portion of lakefront known as the Motel Strip. **Ruth Grier, MPP**	Designation denied with conditions	MAY 9/89

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88-046-E	Mimico Correctional Centre Dining Facilities	SEPT 6/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction, for the Ministry of Correctional Services, of new kitchen & dining facilities, including a new structure, at the Mimico Correctional Centre in Etobicoke. Cost $2.5 million.	Exemption granted MGS-93	JAN 12/89
88-047-B	McLaughlin Road Widening	First Request AUG 15/88	SEPT29/88 Report Submitted Oct 17/88	**City of Mississauga** Widening of 2.2 km section of McLaughlin Road from 2 lanes to 5 lanes. **Local Residents**	New proposal by City on OCT 6/88	Minister's letter, NOV 30/88
88-048a-E	Provincial Parks Management	AUG 19/88	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Revisions to MNR-44, including amalgamation with MNR-43, for property acquisition & interim management of new provincial parks.	Exemption granted MNR 44/2	OCT 26/88
88-048b-E	Provincial Parks Program	AUG 19/88	-	Extension of & revisions to MNR-30/8, including amalgamation with MNR-5, -12, and -15, for implementing the Provincial Parks Program, developing sewage/water works, and acquiring land for existing parks.	Exemption granted MNR 30/9	OCT 26/88
88-049-D	Upper Rouge Private Undertakings, Scarborough	SEPT 9/88	-	**Nonspecific** Private undertakings in the Upper Rouge Secondary Plan area. **City of Scarborough**		

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88-050-D	Cummings Resort Development, Picton	SEPT 6/88	-	**Mr. Raymond Cummings** Development of a resort area next to Sandbanks (Outlet) Provincial Park. **Local Residents**	Designation denied	NOV 4/88
88-051-D	South River Dams	AUG 30/88	-	**Two Private Developers** Construction of 3 proposed dams on the South River near the Twp. of South Himsworth. **Himsworth South Recreation Committee**	Designation denied	JUN 7/89
88-052-D	Mississagua River Access Road	SEPT12/88	-	**Group of Cottagers** Construction of a private access road, partly on Crown land, to Mississagua Lake. **Local Cottagers**	Designation denied	FEB 13/89
88-053-E	Smithville Waste Clean-Up (Extension of MOE-31)	OCT 5/88	-	**Ministry of the Environment, West Central Region** Management of contaminated wastes at Chemical Waste Management Ltd. site, Smithville. Extension and modification of MOE-31. See 86-022-E.	Exemption granted MOE-31/1	NOV 24/88
88-054-B	Leamington Storm Sewer Extension	OCT 7/88 OCT 13/88	-	**Town of Leamington** Extension of the storm sewer outfall into Lake Erie. **Summer Residents**	Bump-Up denied	DEC 28/88

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88-055-E	Buchanan Waste Site, Thunder Bay	NOV 1/88	-	**Ministry of the Environment, Northwestern Region** Stopping the burning of demolition debris and removal of waste from an illegal waste disposal site in Thunder Bay.	Exemption granted MOE-36	NOV 10/88
88-056-E	Waterloo Transformer Station	NOV 4/88	-	**Waterloo North Hydro Commission** Construction and operation of an electrical transformer station in the City of Waterloo.	Exemption granted WATE-C-1	JAN 12/90
88-057-B	Guelph Aqueduct Project Phase-2	NOV 16/88	-	**City of Guelph** The construction of the remaining portion of the Arkell Water Supply Aqueduct along the south shore of the Eramosa River. See 87-046-B. **Save the Trail Committee**	Bump-Up denied	DEC 12/88
88-058-D	Creditview Wetland Development, Mississauga	NOV 21/88	JULY 4/89 Report submitted OCT 4/89	**Private Developer** Housing subdivision on the 11.5 hectare Creditview Wetland, Mississauga. **South Peel Naturalists' Club**	Mediation, if mediation fails, designation	OCT 31/89
88-059-B	Petawawa Waterworks	NOV 3/88	-	**Township of Petawawa** Development of communal water system for the Twp. of Petawawa. **Local Resident**	Bump-Up denied	UNDATED (Rec'd at EAAC Jan 13/89)
88-060-B	Markham GO Transit Parking Expansion	NOV 25/88	-	**GO Transit** Expansion of parking facilities at the Go Transit Station in the Old Village of Markham. **Local Residents**	Bump-Up denied	JUNE 15/89

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88-061-E	MNR Cottage Lot Program (Extension of MNR-52)	NOV 28/88	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Extension of MNR 52/2 for cottage lot development.	Extension granted to Dec 31/89 MNR-52/3	JUNE 1/89
88-062-E	Thunder Bay Harbour Clean-Up	NOV 4/88	-	**Ministry of Environment, Northwestern Region** The interim clean-up of pooled creosote in Thunder Bay Harbour adjacent to Northern Wood Preservers.	Exemption granted MOE-37	NOV 10/88
88-063-B	Maple Leaf Estates Watermain, Keswick	DEC 1/88 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Regional Municipality of York** Construction of a watermain and storage tank to provide services to a proposed subdivision in Keswick. **Roches Point Property Owners' Association, and 3 individuals**	Bump-up denied	FEB 9/89
88-064-E	Lynde Shores Secondary Plan, Whitby	NOV 30/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Planning and development of 500 acres on Whitby waterfront as part of a 700 acre development.	Exempt under MGS-102 (see 89-033-E)	
88-065-E	Malvern Community Development Scarborough	DEC 13/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Development of a 40 acre site, jointly owned by the federal and provincial governments, in Northeast Scarborough.	Exemption granted MGS-95	NOV 30/89

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88-066-B	Bayview Ave. Extension, York	DEC 19/88	-	**Regional Municipality of York** Extension of Bayview Ave. from Stouffville Rd. to Bloomington Rd. through the Oak Ridges Moraine. **Local Resident**	Bump-up premature	FEB 16/89
88-067-E	Ottawa Public Health Complex	DEC 21/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of a public health laboratory and ambulance centre in the Ottawa Business Park. Estimated cost $11.1 million.	Exemption granted MGS-98	APR 21/89
88-068-D	Steetley Landfill, Flamborough Twp.	OCT 26/88	-	**Steetley Industries Ltd.** Proposed landfill at Steetley quarry, Flamborough Twp. **Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth**	Designated O.Reg 283/89	MAY 11/89
88-069-B	Crawford Creek Diversion, South Porcupine	DEC 12/88	-	**Mattagami Region Conservation Authority** 1km diversion of Crawford Creek into Porcupine Lake for flood control. **Local Land Owner**		
88-070-E	Agriculture and Food Head Offices, Guelph	DEC 21/88	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of a new head office and administrative services complex for the Ministry of Agriculture and Food in Guelph.	Exemption granted MGS-85	JUNE 30/89
88-071-D	Shoal Lake Mining Development	SEPT29/88 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Consolidated Professor Mining** Mining Development on Stevens Island, Shoal Lake (Manitoba/Ontario border). **Winnipeg Residents & Politicians**	Designated O.Reg 486/89	AUG 10/89

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88-072-D	Providence Bay Marina, Manitoulin Island	NOV 5/88 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Carnarvon Twp.** The development of a marina on the main beach in Providence Bay. **Local Residents**	Development relocated - Designation denied	JUN 8/89
88-073-B	North York Ring Road	AUG 26/88	-	**City of North York** Construction of a ring road to accommodate increased traffic and densities anticipated in OPA #277. **Concerned Citizens for Civic Affairs in North York**	Bump-up denied	MAR 20/89

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89-001-B	North Oliphant Concession Road Extension	JAN 5/89	-	**Amabel Twp., Bruce County** The construction of a concession road extension in North Oliphant. **Local Resident**	Request withdrawn	JUN 28/89
89-002-B	Eastern Beaches Detention Facility	JAN 13/89 (FIRST REQUEST)	FEB 6/89 Report Submitted MAR 6/89	**City of Toronto** Construction of Phase 1 of a storm water and combined sewer overflow detention facility in the Beaches Park, Toronto. **Kew Beach Residents' Association, Local Residents, and M. Bryden, M.P.P.**	Bump-up denied	MAR 27/89
89-003-E/D	Newcastle Landfill Interim Expansion	JAN 5/89 FEB 16/89 Exemp. FEB 8/89 Desig.	-	**Laidlaw Waste Systems Ltd.** The infilling of an additional 300,000 cubic meters (312,000 tonnes) of waste at the present landfill site in Newcastle, Regional Municipality of Durham. (See 88-019-D) **Committee of Clarke Constituents**	Designation denied with conditions & exemption granted NEWC-P-1	JULY 20/89
89-004-E	Mississauga Surplus Lands Development	FEB 9/89	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Construction of a roadway and underground services on 17 acres of land in Mississauga to be sold for private development of an apartment complex.	Exemption granted MGS-100	JULY 27/89

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89-005-B	Front St.-Gardiner Expressway Interchange	FEB 20/89	-	**Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto** Construction of an interchange between the Gardiner Expressway and Front Street. **Local Resident**	Bump-Up denied	APR 11/89
89-006-E	Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital Redevelopment, Etobicoke	FEB 16/89	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Redevelopment of the 32 acre site of the former Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital in Etobicoke, in conjunction with Humber College which owns an adjacent 18 acres.	Exemption granted MGS-99	JUNE 23/89
89-007-E	Keele Valley Clay Borrow Site	FEB 15/89	-	**Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto** Acquisition and utilization of a clay borrow site to supply clay to complete and close the Keele Valley Landfill.	Exemption granted METR-M-5	MAR 30/89
89-008-D	Sleeping Giant Provincial Park Management Plan	JAN 16/89 (FIRST REQUEST)	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Management Plan for Sleeping Giant (formerly Sibley) Provincial Park including the development of commercial activities (marina, rentals), the building of hydro lines, and road widening. **Thunder Bay Field Naturalists, local residents and a petition of 400 signatures**	Designation denied	AUG 24/89

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89-009-B	King/Caledon Townline Road, Bolton Bypass (see 88-028-B)	FEB 23/89 (FIRST REQUEST)	APR 13/89 Report Submitted MAY 30/89	**Town of Caledon** Construction/reconstruction of the King/Caledon Townline Rd. between the 5th line & King St. in Bolton, Region of Peel. **The Better Bypass for Bolton Cte., Twp. of King and Local Residents**	Bump-up granted	JUL 7/89
89-010-B	Hwy #8 Alterations, Bullock's Corners	FEB 27/89	-	**Ministry of Transportation** Alterations to Hwy #8 in and around Bullock's Corners (Dundas). **Save Our Bullock's Citizens' Action Committee**		
89-011-B	Carruthers Creek Sewer Works	FEB 22/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Town of Ajax, Regional Municipality of Durham** Installation of sewer works along Carruthers Creek, Ajax. **Ajax Residents' Assoc., Pickering Naturalists, Local Residents.**	Request withdrawn	APR 28/89
89-012-D	Ganaraska Watershed Developments	FEB 12/89	JULY 6/89 Report submitted NOV 15/89	**Private Developers** Subdivision developments in the Ganaraska Watershed on the Oak Ridges Moraine, Durham Region. **Local Residents**	Interim decision JUL 6/89 not to designate one development	
89-013-B	Mara Twp. Quarry Mining Truck Route	FEB 23/89 FIRST REQUEST	MAY 31/89 Report submitted JULY10/89	**Township of Mara (Simcoe County)** Truck route through Mara Township to serve three quarries. **Local Residents & Local Developer**	Bump-Up denied	SEPT 12/89

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89-014-D	Runnymede Development, Scarborough	MAR 13/89 FIRST REQUEST	AUG 24/89 Report submitted NOV 10/89	**Runnymede Development Corp.** Development of 4 high rise apartments at Gerrard St. East & Clonmore Drive, Scarborough. **Local Councillor, Residents & City of Scarborough**	No designation subject to conditions	JAN 11/90
89-015-B	Sharon-Queensville Water Source Project	MAR 6/89	-	**Regional Municipality of York** Testing, drilling, and development of municipal water system in East Gwillimbury. **Local Resident**	Bump-up denied	JUNE 8/89
89-016-D	Bobcaygeon Marina	FEB 14/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Village of Bobcaygeon** Development of a Marina on Sturgeon Lake in Bobcaygeon for the use of 36 houseboats and 22 cruisers. **Local Residents**	Project withdrawn	SEPT 5/89
89-017-D	Shin Ho Pulp Mill, Paipoonge Twp.	MAR 14/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Shin Ho Group** Development of a Chemi-Thermomechanical pulp mill in Rosslyn Village, west of Thunder Bay, on the Kaministiquia River. **Local Residents, Thunder Bay Salmon Assoc., Thunder Bay Field Naturalists, Protect our Environment**	Project relocated by proponent	JULY 21/89
89-018-D	Magpie Forest Timber Management Plan	MAR 28/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Timber Management Plan for the Magpie Forest between the Dubreuil Bros. Lumber Co. & MNR, Wawa District. **Remote Tourist Camp and Air Operators, Individual**		

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89-019-E	Eastview Road Sanitary Landfill - Interim Expansion	MAR 17/89	-	**City of Guelph** Continued use of the Eastview Road Sanitary Landfill for a 5 year period.	Superceded by 90-016-E	
89-020-E	Nanticoke G. S. Ash Disposal Expansion	JAN 24/89	-	**Ontario Hydro** Acquisition of 50 hectares of adjacent property to expand the ash disposal area serving the Nanticoke Generating Station.		
89-021-D	Newcastle Medical Waste Incinerator	MAR 29/89	-	**BFI Waste Systems** Development of a medical waste treatment facility with a planned incineration capacity of 22 tonnes daily in Newcastle. **BFI**	Designated O.Reg 576/89	OCT 12/89
89-022-E	MNR-26 Extension	MAR 29/89	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Extension to Sept. 30/89 of the exemption of the disposition by MNR of Crown Resources.	Exemption granted MNR-26/5	MAR 31/89
89-023-D	Sault Ste. Marie, Chapleau & Blind River Timber Management Plan	APR 17/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Timber Management Plan for the districts of Sault Ste. Marie, Chapleau and Blind River. **Remote Tourist Camp Owners**		

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89-024-D	Sydenham Subdivision Development	FEB 11/89 FIRST REQUEST	NOV 21/89 Report - Part I Submitted FEB 14/90	**Sydenham Mills Investment Group** Development of a residential estate subdivision consisting of 25 lots on 15 hectares of land in Twp. of Sydenham, Grey County. **Local Residents**	Designation denied	MAR 30/90
89-025-D	Sidney Gravel Pit	FEB 17/89	-	**Byer Enterprises Ltd.** Proposed gravel pit in Sidney Twp. **Sidney Environmental Preservation Assoc.**	Designation denied	JULY 14/89
89-026-D	Black Creek Condominium Development	APR 20/89	-	**Bramalea Ltd.** Proposed construction of six high rise towers for condominiums on 22 acres of land at south end of York University campus. **Maria Augimeri, Metro Toronto Councillor**	Designation denied	JULY 11/89
89-027-D	Puslinch Gravel Extractions	MAR 7/89	-	**Gravel Producers** Rezoning for gravel extractions below water table in Puslinch Twp. **Stream Rehab. (K.W. Flyfishers)**		
89-028-D	Stayner Lagoon System Expansion	MAR 27/89	-	**Town of Stayner** Addition of lagoons to the present lagoon sewage system in Stayner. **Resident**	Designation denied	JULY 18/89

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89-029-B	Aurora Water Supply Expansion	APR 17/89	-	**Regional Municipality of York** Expansion of Town of Aurora's water supply system through the addition of a pumping station, storage tank & water main in Aurora. **Local Resident**	Bump-Up denied	AUG 30/89
89-030-E	Goudreau-Lochalsh Road (MNDM-1 Extension)	MAY 1/89	-	**Ministry of Northern Development & Mines** Extension of exemption MNDM-1 for the Goudreau-Lochalsh Road (to service Canamax Resources gold mine Algoma District) until Class EA for access roads is approved, & completion of other mineral resource access roads already in construction. (See 87-044-E).	Exemption granted MNDM-1/2	JUNE 12/89
89-031-E	Richmond Hill Transformer Station	MAY 30/89	-	**Richmond Hill Hydro-Electric Commission** Construction and operation of a 230Kv-27.6Kv transformer station, in Town of Richmond Hill.	Exemption granted RICH-T-1	APR 4/90
89-032-E	Consolidated Maybrun Mines PCB Clean-up	APR 14/89	-	**Ministry of Environment N.W. Region** Clean-up and storage of PCB contaminated materials at abandoned mine site 50mi. east of Sioux Narrows,Kenora	Exemption granted MOE-38	JULY 27/89
89-033-E	MGS Activities	MAY 18/89	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Program exemption for land management including the acquisition, planning & disposal of real property, and minor capital construction projects until Class EA completed. (See 87-055-E & Referral #31).	Exemption granted MGS-102	DEC 21/89

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89-034-E	Cobourg Landfill Interim Expansion	MAY 11/89	-	**Town of Cobourg** Change in existing interim exemption to provide for aerial as well as vertical expansion of Cobourg Landfill Site. (See 87-049-E)	Exemption granted COBG-T-1/2	JULY 6/89
89-035-B	Bradford Water Wells	MAY 17/89	MAR 1/90 Report submitted JUN 29/90	**Bradford Public Utilities Commission** Development of new municipal wells on Horlings property in the Holland Marsh, King Twp. to service Town of Bradford. **Twp. of King**		
89-036-B	Bathurst St. Widening, York	MAY 25/89	-	**Regional Municipality of York** Widening and reconstruction of Bathurst St. between Hwy. 7 and Major Mackenzie Drive in Richmond Hill. **Local Residents**	Bump-Up denied	AUG /89
89-037-E	Heritage Green Development	JUN 8/89	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Provision of capital works (infrastructure), property acquistion, alteration of land use controls & sale of the land for affordable housing at four areas totalling 260 acres within the Heritage Green Community in Stoney Creek.	Exemption granted MGS-101	OCT 12/89
89-038-B	Markham By-pass	JUN 15/89	-	**Town of Markham** Widening of Sixteenth Ave. and construction of a Markham by-pass connecting with Hwy. 7. **Local Resident**	Bump-Up request withdrawn By-pass relocated	SEPT 21/89

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89-039-E	Bensfort Rd. Landfill Interim Expansion	JUN 12/89	-	**City of Peterborough** Interim expansion and changes to the operation and design of Bensfort Rd. Landfill in Otonabee Twp.	Exemption granted PETE-C-1	APR 4/90
89-040-B	Gravenhurst Sewage Works	JUN 27/89	-	**District of Muskoka** Construction & operation of new sewage plant near Muskoka Beach, Gravenhurst. **Individual**	Bump-Up denied	DEC 6/89
89-041-D	St. Lawrence Cement Refuse Derived Fuel Facility	JUN 26/89	-	**St. Lawrence Cement** Construction & operation of a facility in Mississauga to process municipal waste for recovery of refuse-derived fuel to be used in manufacturing of cement. (See 87-011-D). **St. Lawrence Cement**	To be designated	JULY 26/89
89-042-D	MNR Provincial Parks Policies	MAY 31/89	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** New (1988) Provincial Parks Policies concerning the creation of new parks & permitted uses in parks. **N.W. Ontario Associated Chambers of Commerce and NORTHCARE** (See 88-048-a/b-E)	Designation denied	JULY 31/89
89-043-D	Orillia Boundary Change	JUNE 5/89	-	**City of Orillia** Annexation by City of land in Township of Orillia for the development of Champlain Industrial Park. **Local Resident**		

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89-044-D	St. Mary's Cement Dock, Newcastle	JULY 7/89	-	**St. Mary's Cement** Development & expansion of an existing dock facility on Lake Ontario in Darlington, Town of Newcastle. **Port Darlington Community Associaton**		
89-045-E	MNR Special Employment Programs, MNR-39 EXT.	APR 4/89	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Extension of MNR Exemption 39/6 for short term provincial/federal employment projects. Expiry April 30, 1990. (See 87-007-E)	Exemption granted MNR-39/7	JUNE 12/89
89-046-D	Uniroyal Hazardous Waste Incinerator, Elmira	JUL 13/89	-	**Uniroyal Chemical Ltd.** Construction & operation of a hazardous liquid waste incinerator at Uniroyal's Elmira plant (disposal of 250,000-300,000 gallons flammable waste per year). **Uniroyal Chemical Ltd.**	To be designated	AUG 24/89
89-047-D	Lagoon City Development, Lake Simcoe	JUL 17/89	-	**Concord Woods** Proposed development of Lagoon City, Lake Simcoe in Twp. of Mara. **Brechin Point residents**		
89-048-E	Algonquin Provincial Park Visitor Centre	JUL 17/89	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Construction of a new Visitor Centre in Algonquin Park. (Cost estimated at $7,000,000).	Exemption granted MNR-55	JAN 12/90

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89-049-D	Shebeshekong River Bridge, Parry Sound District	JUL 10/89	-	**Carling Township** Replacement of a bridge across the Shebeshekong River in the District of Parry Sound. **Resort Owner**	Designation denied	JAN /90
89-050-E	Hadati Farm Subdivision Development	JUL 28/89	-	**Ministry of Government Services** Provision of capital works (in excess of $1 million), alteration of land use controls and disposition for development of a housing subdivision on 16.6 hectares in Guelph.	Exemption granted MGS-103	NOV 30/89
89-051-B	Eagleson Road Widening, Kanata	JUL 31/89	-	**City of Kanata** Widening of Eagleson Road, presently following the Class EA for Municipal Roads. **Local Resident**	Request withdrawn	OCT 10/89
89-052-D	Sarawak Townhouse Development	AUG 3/89	-	**Unknown** Development of five Townhouse units; Concession 3, Twp. of Sarawak, Grey County. **Local Resident**		
89-053-D	Lac Minerals Quarry, Milton	JUL 29/89 (First Request)	MAR 30/90 On Hold	**Lac Minerals** Establishment and operation of limestone quarry on the Niagara Escarpment, in the Town of Milton. **Coalition on the Niagara Escarpment, (CONE), Keep the Escarpment Environmentally Protected(KEEP), Town of Milton staff, local residents**	Project withdrawn	APR 12/90

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89-054-D	Eagle Creek Subdivision & Golf Course, West Carleton	AUG 4/89 FIRST REQUEST	JAN 17/90 Interim Report submitted Apr 23/90	**R.J. Nicol Corp.** Golf Course and subdivision development in Twp. of West Carleton. **Local Resident & Wetlands Preservation Society of West Carleton**		
89-055-B	Mississippi River Crossing, Carleton Place	AUG 14/89	-	**Town of Carleton Place** Proposed new crossing of Mississippi River and associated approach roadways. **Local Developer**		
89-056-B	Port Rowan Water System Expansion	AUG 18/89	-	**Port Rowan** Upgrading of the Port Rowan water supply plant, water inlet and new supply line from Port Rowan to St. Williams. **Local Resident**	Bump-up denied	FEB 13/90
89-057-B	Welland Sludge Transfer Facility	AUG 21/89	-	**Regional Municipality of Niagara** Proposed Welland Sludge Transfer Facility. **Gell Investments Ltd. and Local Resident**	Bump-up denied	JAN 23/90
89-058-B	Huntsville Sewage Works	AUG 24/89	-	**Town of Huntsville** Sewage Works Improvement Project. **Local Resident**		
89-059-D	Ruscom River Drainage, Rochester	SEPT21/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Township of Rochester** Drainage project that would involve dredging and widening of Ruscom River, County of Essex. **Local Residents**		

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89-060-E	Genermark Ltd. Drum Clean-up, Maidstone	OCT 3/89	-	**Ministry of Environment, SW Region** Clean-up of abandoned drum site in the Twp. of Maidstone & Town of Essex & any adjacent affected areas.	Exemption granted MOE-39	NOV 3/89
89-061-D	Mink Bay Theme Park, Keewatin	OCT 5/89	-	**Town of Keewatin** Development of Theme Park on Mink Bay including motel/hotel, convention and boat docking facilities. **Committee for the Preservation of Mink Bay**		
89-062-D	Moose River Basin Hydro Development	SEPT28/89	-	**Ontario Hydro & Private Developers** Development of 14 preferred hydro electric sites on the Abitibi, Mattagami & Moose Rivers. **Bob Rae, Leader of Opposition; Ruth Grier,MPP; Brian Charlton,MPP; & Gilles Pouliot, MPP.**		
89-063-D	Ingersoll Recreation Facility	SEPT25/89	-	**Town of Ingersoll** Development of a recreation facility in Ingersoll's Victoria Park. **Ingersoll Concerned Citizens**		
89-064-D	Sherkston Resort Complex/ Port Colborne	OCT 13/89	-	**Sherkston Resorts Inc.** Development of recreation resort complex on 550 acres of land in Port Colborne, including tent & trailer sites, marina, golf course, hotel and sewage treatment facility (for 15,000 people). **Local Resident** (See 88-044-D)		

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89-065-D	Otter Rapids G.S. Spillway Channel Improvements	MAY 25/89	-	**Ontario Hydro** Work to correct erosion of the Abitibi River bank at the Otter Rapids Generating Station. **Mushkegowuk Council**	Designation denied. Class EA was followed.	SEPT 15/89
89-066-D	Steetley Waste Incineration	JUN 30/89	-	**Steetley Quarry Products Ltd.** Incineration of wastes, including automobile shredder wastes, tires & solvents, in Steetley lime kilns, Flamborough Twp. **G.A.S.P.**		
89-067-D	Oro Township Boat Ramp	OCT 3/89	-	**Oro Twp.** Construction of a boat ramp on Lake Simcoe at the 9th Concession, Oro Twp. **Local Resident**	Designation denied	NOV 24/89
89-068-E	Grimsby Landfill Interim Expansion	APR 7/89	-	**Town of Grimsby** Amendment to extend existing Exemption Order for the Park Road Landfill Site.	Exemption granted GRIM-T-1/1	OCT 19/89
89-069-D	Newmarket Subdivisions	SEPT28/89	-	**Developers** Two proposed subdivisions on the Oak Ridges Moraine in the Town of Newmarket at the King/Newmarket boundary. **Concerned Citizens of King Township**		

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89-070-D	Muskoka Sands Inn Marina	SEPT22/89	-	**Renaissance Leisure Group Inc.** Building of a marina, including a breakwater, for 98 boat slips, in conjunction with the Muskoka Sands Inn townhouse development on Lake Muskoka, Gravenhurst. **South Muskoka Lake Community Association**		
89-071-E	MNR-26 Extension			**Ministry of Natural Resources** Extension to March 31, 1990 of MNR-26 exemption for the disposition by MNR of Crown resources.	Exemption granted MNR-26/6	SEPT 29/89
89-072-E	Fish Culture Station Projects		-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Capital projects at existing fish culture stations and the siting, construction, operation and maintenance of new or existing cage culture facilities.	Exemption granted MNR-54	OCT 19/89
89-073-E	Brantford Industrial Park	OCT 30/89	-	**City of Brantford** Development of an industrial park in the northwest area of the City.	Exemption granted BRAN-C-1	FEB 9/90
89-074-B	Dorval Drive Upper Middle Road	OCT 23/89	-	**Town of Oakville** Construction of Dorval Drive and Upper Middle Road in Oakville. **Local Resident**	Bump-Up request withdrawn	JAN 18/90

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89-075-E	Blackbird Holdings Cleanup	OCT 24/89	-	**Ministry of the Environment** Disposal of liquid industrial waste from the property of Blackbird Holdings Ltd. & G.A. Crowe, Lot 1, Town of Ameliasburgh, Prince Edward County; remediation of site, securing of long term alternative water supplies.	Exemption granted MOE-40	NOV 30/89
89-076-B	Don Mills Road Widening	OCT 24/89	-	**City of North York** Widening of Don Mills Road to 7 lanes. **Don Mills Residents Inc.**		
89-077-D	Central Ontario Natural Stone Expansion, Mara	OCT 28/89	-	**Township of Mara and Central Ontario Natural Stone Co.** Proposed rezoning of 49.5 acres of Lot 14, Concession 13 from agricultural to allow for expansion of the Central Ontario Natural Stone Co. **Local Resident**		
89-078-D	Aulneau Timber Management Plan	NOV 15/89	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Timber harvesting plan for 1989-91 on Blocks 9 and 10, Cache Lake vicinity, Aulnean Timber Management Plan near Kenora **Farlane Environmental Protection Association**		
89-079-B	Moose Creek Sewage Lagoon	NOV 28/89	-	**Township of Roxborough** Construction of sewage works and treatment lagoon in the Village of Moose Creek. **Local Residents**	Bump-Up premature	FEB 20/90

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89-080-B	Haliburton Sewage Treatment Plant Expansion	NOV 16/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**County of Haliburton** Expansion of Haliburton Sewage Treatment Plant Cottagers. **Canning Lake Property Owner's Association and Local Residents**	Bump-up denied with conditions	APR 12/90
89-081-B	Niagara Road 81 Reconstruction	DEC 3/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Regional Municipality of Niagara** Reconstruction of Niagara Regional Rd. 81 between Brookside Drive & 5th Ave.in Town of Lincoln & restructuring of Niagara Rd. 81 at corner of Nineteenth St. & Regional Rd. 81 in the Town of Jordan. **Adjacent property owners**		
89-082-B	Ballantrae-Musselman's Lake Waterworks	DEC 13/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville** Proposed water supply system for the Bellantrae-Mussleman's Lake area. **Local Resident, Musselman Lake Club & other groups**		
89-083-B	Huron Upper Shore Road Extension	DEC 11/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Township of Heron** Extension of Upper Shore Road in the Twp. of Huron. **Local Residents**		
89-084-E	MNR-26 Extension	NOV 30/89	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Extension to and revision of MNR-26, Disposition of Crown Resources.	Exemption granted MNR 26/7	MAR 21/90
89-085-E	Kitley Waste Disposal Site Closure	OCT 4/89	-	**Twp. of Kitley, Leeds County** Regrading of Kitley Waste Disposal Site in order to close it according to Ministry of Environment requirements.		

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89-086-B	Haileybury Municipal Sludge Disposal Site	NOV 29/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Town of Haileybury** Proposed municipal sludge disposal site in Firstbrook Twp. District of Temiskaming for the annual dumping of 2.7 million litres of waste from Haileybury sewage treatment plant. **Twp. of Hudson & 11 property owners**	Bump-up denied	JUL 12/90
89-087-B	Grimsby Water Pumping Station	DEC 18/89 APR 18/90 SECOND REQUEST	-	**Regional Municipality of Niagara** Construction of a new water pumping station is the Town of Grimsby which may include expropriation of property. **Local Resident**	Bump-Up premature (FIRST REQUEST)	FEB 19/90
89-088-D	Tricil Waste Disposal Site Expansion	UNKNOWN	-	**Tricil Ltd.** Expansion of waste disposal site located on Lot 18, Concession VII, Storrington Twp., County of Frontenac.	Designated O.Reg. 640/89	OCT 1/89
89-089-D	Unitec Waste Disposal Site Expansion	UNKNOWN	-	**Unitec Disposal Inc.** Expansion of waste disposal site on west half of Lot 22, Concession XII, Twp. of Moore, County of Lambton.	Designated O.Reg. 641/89	NOV 15/89
89-090-D	Brantford Gravel Pit	DEC 1/89	-	**TCG Materials** Expansion of an existing gravel pit to include an additional 55 hectares. **Ridge Environmental Association**	Designation denied	JUL 24/90

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89-091-E	Mountain East-West & North-South Transportation Corridor Project	DEC 14/89	-	**Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth** Minor changes to the approved Mountain Transportation Corridor.		
89-092-B	Balmy Beach Road Storm Drainage Project	DEC 19/89	-	**Township of Sarawak, Grey County** Proposed storm drainage project, Lot 22, Concession 3. **Local Resident**	Bump-Up premature	APR 24/90
89-093-E	MOE Emergency Clean up and/or Remedial Work	Unknown	-	**Ministry of the Environment** Emergency Clean up &/or remedial work necessitated by the default of a person or company ordered to carry out such work under the Environmental Protection Act or Ontario Water Resources Act.	Exemption granted MOE 41	DEC 13/89
89-094-E	Hwy. 17 Widening, West Carleton	DEC 20/89	-	**Ministry of Transportation** Design, property acquisition, construction, operation and maintenance of Hwy 17 from Antrim to Arnprior, Twp. of West Carleton, consisting of 11.5 km of a four lane divided freeway.	Exemption granted MTC-56	JUN 1/90

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89-095-E	MNR Red Squirrel Road Completion and Mitigation	Unknown	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Completion of the Red Squirrel Road extension and mitigation measures as set out in its original approval which expired December 31, 1989.	Exemption granted MNR-C-1	DEC 21/89
89-096-B	Kleinburg - Nashville Municipal Water Supply	DEC 22/89 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Regional Municipality of York** Provision of water supply system for the Community of Kleinburg-Nashville. **Local Residents**	Bump-Up denied	JUN 15/90
89-097-E	MNDM Disposition of Crown Resources	SEPT19/89	-	**Ministry of Northern Development and Mines** Disposition of Crown Resources under the Mining Act.		

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90-001-E	Orillia Landfill Interim Expansion	JAN 24/90	-	**City of Orillia** Interim expansion of service area for landfill to include waste from Twps. of Rama & Orillia.	Exemption granted ORIL-C-1	MAY 17/90
90-002-E	Kenora Tri-municipal Landfill Interim Expansion	JAN 25/90	-	**Town of Kenora** Interim expansion of the Tri-Municipal Landfill to allow for continued disposal of waste from Kenora, Jaffray-Melick and Keewatin.	Exemption granted KENO-T-1	MAY 17/90
90-003-B	Marmora and Lake Township Road Project	JAN 23/90 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Township of Marmora and Lake** Construction of a 32 km road to access timber and recreation area. **Local Residents, Big Eddy Hunt Club & Domtar Inc.**	Bump-Up denied	APR 17/90
90-004-B	Scarborough Service Yard	JAN 29/90 FIRST REQUEST	-	**City of Scarborough** Construction of a service yard on McCowan Road **Local Residents**	Bump-Up denied	APR 17/90
90-005-D	Asphalt Plant, Grey County	JAN 31/90	-	**E.C. King Contracting Limited** Construction of an asphalt plant in Bentinck Twp., Grey County. **Local Resident**		

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90-006-E	Thunder Bay Landfill Expansion	JAN 31/90	-	**City of Thunder Bay** Expansion of John Street Landfill Site.	Exemption denied	JUN 22/90
090-007-D	United Aggregate Ltd. Quarry Expansion	FEB 1/90	-	**United Aggregate Limited** Expansion of quarry located on south side of Regional Road 43 in Halton. **Ecology Awareness Group**		
90-008-E	Durham Waste Disposal Site	FEB 7/90	-	**Regional Municipality of Durham** Establishment, operation, and closing of a Contingency Landfill site (P1 site) in the Town of Pickering.	Exemption granted DURH-RG-1	JUL 11/90
90-009-D	Heart Lake Development, Brampton	FEB 5/90	-	**Armbro Materials and Construction Ltd.** Development near the Class II Heart Lake Wetland in Brampton. **Coalition of Heart Lake Residents**		
90-010-E	Brampton Waste Disposal Site	FEB 16/90	-	**Regional Municipality of Peel** Establishment, operation and closing of a Contingency Landfill site (V1B site) in north-eastern Brampton.	Exemption granted PEEL-RG-1	JUL 11/90

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90-011-D	Bio-medical Waste Disposal Facility Carling Twp.	FEB 11/90	-	**Med Track Waste Management Inc.** Establishment of a 9.6 tonne/day medical waste disposal facility including an incinerator, in Carling Twp., District of Parry Sound. **North Sound Association**		
90-012-D	Village of Cataract Subdivision	FEB 19/90	-	**Lawgren Group Inc.** Construction of a 40 lot subdivision including 2 wells, pumphouse and waterline in Cataract, Town of Caledon. **Caledon Ratepayers Association Inc.**		
90-013-D	Temagami & Latchford Timber Management Plan	FEB 19/90	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Two year timber management plan for the Temagami & Latchford crown forest management units. **Temagami Wilderness Society**		
90-014-E	Tyre-King Fire Clean-up	FEB 20/90	-	**Ministry of Environment, West-Central Region** Fire fighting, clean-up, &/or remedial work required as a result of the tire fire at Tyre King Tyre Recycling Ltd.in the City of Nanticoke.	Exemption granted MOE-42	FEB 23/90

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90-015-D	Richmond Hill OPA #71	FEB 26/90 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Town of Richmond Hill** OPA #71 allows development in and near the Oak Ridges Moraine including Wilcox Lake. **Lake Wilcox Residents' Association & Local Resident**		
90-016-E	Eastview Rd. Landfill Interim Expansion	FEB 28/90	-	**City of Guelph** Interim expansion of the Eastview Road Sanitary landfill. (See 89-019-E)		
90-017-B	Havelock Water System Expansion	MAR 2/90	-	**Village of Havelock** Expansion of Havelock water supply system in the County of Peterborough. **Local Residents**	Designation denied	JUL 24/90
90-018-D	Lockyer Brothers Gravel Pit	MAR 2/90 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Lockyer Brothers** Expansion of a gravel pit at 5th Sideroad & Hockley Rd., Mono Twp. **Hockley Valley Community Assoc., Local Residents**	Designation denied	MAY 24/90
90-019-D	Kokomo Development, Aurora	MAR 5/90	-	**Kokomo Management** Development of 400 acres of prime farm land and forest on the Oak Ridges Moraine in Aurora. **Save the Oak Ridges Moraine,(STORM)**		

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90-020-D	Guelph Wet/Dry Waste Processing Facility	MAR 10/90	-	**City of Guelph** Development of a City wide "Wet/Dry" waste recycling processing facility in the City of Guelph. **Guelph Air Park**		
90-021-E	Ottawa Community College	MAR 19/90	-	**La Cite Collegiale** Establishment of French language Applied Arts and Technology Community College in the City of Ottawa.	Exemption granted PR-CC-04	JUN 1/90
90-022-B	Huron Church Road Reconstruction	MAR 21/90	-	**City of Windsor** Reconstruction of Patricia and Huron Church Roads in the City of Windsor. **Local Resident**		
90-023-E	Smithville PCB Waste Clean-up	--	-	**Ministry of the Environment, West-Central Region** Management of contaminated wastes in and around chemical Waste Management Limited, Smithville Industrial Park, Twp. of West Lincoln. Extension of MOE 31/1. (See 88-053-E)	Exemption granted MOE-31/2	FEB 23/90
90-024-D	LASCO Waste Facility	MAR 2/90	-	**Lake Ontario Steel Co. Ltd.** Proposed car-shredder by-product berm. **Ministry of Environment**	To be designated	MAR 2/90

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90-025-D	Bass Lake Road	MAR 8/90	-	**Unknown** Construction of a private road which passes near a creek emptying into Bass Lake. **Orillia Fish and Game Conservation Club**		
90-026-D	Nakina Forest Timber Management Plan	FEB 27/90 FIRST REQUEST	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Timber management plan for Nakina forest including the building of a logging road between Meta and Abamasagi Lakes and a bridge across the Squaw River. **Tailwind Canoe Outfitters, Meta Lake Lodge and Bruce Lake Cabins**		
90-027-D	Tackaberry Quarry	MAR 15/90	-	**Tackaberry & Sons Ltd.** Establishment and operation of a quarry on a 108 acre site in Twp. of Edwardsburgh, Spencerville. **Spencerville Ratepayers' Group**		
90-028-D	Algonquin Park Timber Management Plan	MAR 27/90	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources/Algonquin Forest Authority** Five year timber management plan for Algonquin Park. **Algonquin Wildlands League**		

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90-029-D	Tweed Timber Management Plan	APR 2/90	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Five year timber management plan for Tweed District. **Local Resident**		
90-030-D	Trout Lake Timber Management Plan	APR 6/90	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Timber management plan for the Trout Lake Forest, Sudbury District. **Local Resident**		
90-031-B	Tait's Bridge Closure	APR 11/90 FIRST REQUEST	-	**County of Elgin** Closure of Tait's Bridge in Dunwich Twp., Elgin County. **Local Residents**		
90-032-D	Watabeag Timber Management Plan	APR 8/90	-	**Ministry of Natural Resources** Timber management plan for Watageag Crown Management Unit, Kirkland Lake District. **Perry Lake Cottagers' Assoc.**		
90-033-E	Elmira and St. Jacobs Interim Water Supply	UNKNOWN	-	**Regional Municipality of Waterloo** Interim water supply for Elmira and St. Jacobs and operation of purge wells.	Exemption granted WATE-RG-2	APR 20/90
90-034-D	Morton Terminal Handling of Dangerous goods	UNKNOWN	-	**Any person or company** Delivering dangerous goods by truck to or from the wharf and facilities at Morton Terminal, City of Windsor.	Designated O.Reg 244/90	MAY 8/90

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90-035-B	Mavis Road Widening	MAY 10/90	-	**City of Mississauga** Proposed widening of Mavis Rd. from north of Hwy. 403 to Eglinton Ave. West in the City of Mississauga. **Local Residents**		
90-036-E	GO Transit Extensions	MAY 24/90	-	**GO Transit** Extension of commuter train service to Guelph, Barrie and Bowmanville and related facilities. Contracts to be tendered by July 10, 1990.	Exemption granted MTC-57	JUN 14/90